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- (i) culturing a host cell comprising nucleic acid encoding the first polypeptide and additional polypeptide, and the variable light chain, wherein the culturing is such that the nucleic acid is expressed; and
- (ii) recovering the multispecific antibody from the host cell culture.
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33. (AMENDED) The method of claim 30 wherein the multimerization domains of the first and additional polypeptides comprise a protuberance-into-cavity interaction, wherein the method further comprises:

generating a protuberance by altering the original nucleic acid encoding the first polypeptide to encode the first polypeptide with an import residue having a larger side chain volume than the original residue, and

generating a cavity by altering a portion of the original nucleic acid encoding the additional polypeptide to encode the additional polypeptide with an import residue having a smaller side chain volume than the original residue.

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39. (AMENDED) The method of claim 30 wherein the antibody is a multispecific immunoadhesin.

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41. (AMENDED) A host cell comprising nucleic acid encoding the multispecific antibody of claim 30.

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43. (AMENDED) A method of preparing a multispecific antibody comprising:

- (a) selecting a first nucleic acid encoding a first polypeptide comprising an altered amino acid residue in an interface of the first polypeptide, wherein the altered amino acid in the interface is an amino acid from at least one additional polypeptide, and selecting at least one additional nucleic acid encoding the at least one additional polypeptide so that

the amino acid residue on said additional polypeptide specifically interacts with the altered amino acid residue on the first polypeptide, thereby generating a stable interaction between the first and said additional polypeptides;

(b) selecting a light chain encoding nucleic acid sequence, wherein the light chain is meant to associate with the binding region of each first and additional polypeptide of the multispecific antibody;

(c) introducing into a host cell the first and additional nucleic acids and the light chain-encoding nucleic acid, and culturing the cell so that expression of the first and additional nucleic acids and the light chain-encoding nucleic acid occurs to form a multispecific antibody;

(d) recovering the multispecific antibody from the cell culture.